

Westwind Preparatory Academy

Tom Horne, Superintendent of Public Instruction

ARIZONA SCHOOL REPORT CARD ACADEMIC YEAR 2005-06

2045 W. Northern Avenue, Phoenix, AZ 85021 Westwind Children's Services

AZ LEARNS¹

High School Achievement Profile (a)

2004-05 Performing Plus

2003-04 Performing

2002-03 Performing

(a) For additional information, please refer to Achievement Profiles Page near end of document.

Arizona's report cards have been revised to include requirements in the federal No Child Left

Behind Act, such as Adequate Yearly Progress and the disaggregation of student level data into required subgroups.

School Overview

Principal/Administrator: Ms. Debra Slagle

Schedule: 07:45 AM to 04:45 PM

Grades: 9-12 2005 Enrollment: 259

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Mission

Our mission is to provide a solid foundation upon which higher education can be built. As a college prep program, we are committed to a program that inspires students, promotes character development and is designed to encourage academic and technological literacy. Our school is based on fundamental traditions that create a smaller, safer learning community.

No Child Left Behind

Adequate Yearly Progress (b)

2004-05 Met

2003-04 Met

2002-03 Met

School Improvement Status (b)

2004-05 N/A

2003-04 Out of Improvement

2002-03 Year 1

(b) For additional information, please refer to the AYP page in this report card.

School / Academic Goals

- Ü All students will demonstrate a high level of personal academic commitment by completing assignments, participating in class, preparing adequately for classroom assessments, doing their best on standardized assessments, and having good attendance.
- Ü Ninety percent of students will exhibit a minimum of one year's growth in academic ability as demonstrated on standardized tests & school assessments. Beginning in 9th grade, students will work toward exceeding the standard as measured on AIMS.

Enrollment

October 1, 2004 School Year Student Enrollment: 232

Accepting New Students in 2005-06 Under Open Enrollment Law: Yes Number of Students Attending Under Open Enrollment in 2004-05: 241

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	ilisti uctional Programs
Į	Academic Tracks for College Bound
ı	Ü Technology Electives
ı	Ü Post High School Planning Courses
ı	Ü Standards Aligned Instruction
ı	Ü Performing Arts Electives

Calendar Information

Number of Instruction Days: 144

Average Daily Instruction Time: 7 hours 5 minutes

First Day of School: 8/8/2005 Last Day of School: 5/22/2006

Shared Responsibilities

School

Our primary responsibility is to provide an education in a safe environment that will prepare students for college and a career. Our responsibility is also to keep parents well-informed and aware of what our expectations are both academically and behaviorally. Teachers use the phone, mail and email to communicate with parents regarding concerns and to convey words of encouragement.

Parents

Parents should make a well-informed choice for their student's education; support school policies; encourage academic preparedness; provide resources to the best of their ability; and communicate with the school regarding any questions or concerns.

Transportation Policy

Westwind is located near the corner of 19th Avenue and Northern, providing easy access via public transportation. Students needing assistance to cover transportation will be given a bus pass.

School Honors	
Awards or Special Recognition Received By the School	, Staff or Students
Award/Honor	Year
Ü Gates Millennium Scholarship Winner	2003
ü Presidential Scholarship Awards ASU & U of A	2003
Ü Intel Teach to the Future Award	2000

Arizona's Instrument to Measure Standards (AIMS) Results 2004-05 3

10th Grade

Mathematics	#	# Teste	ed	%	Teste	ed		MSS		%	FFB			% A		%	6 Met		% Ex	kceed	ded
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All Students	60	60	69846	98	98	100	689	689	699	22	22	21	20	20	11	55	55	49	2	2	18
All Students (Prior Year)	47	47	65934	98	98	100	476	476	492	62	62	43	17	17	18	19	19	24	2	2	15
Female	27	27	34328	96	96	99	686	686	702	19	19	19	24	24	12	57	57	51	0	0	18
Male	33	33	35509	100	100	100	691	691	696	25	25	23	18	18	11	54	54	48	4	4	18
African American	NC	NC	3535	NC	NC	100	NC	NC	677	NC	NC	31	NC	NC	15	NC	NC	46	NC	NC	8
Hispanic	21	21	23363	100	100	100	668	668	680	44	44	32	25	25	16	31	31	45	0	0	7
Asian/Pacific Islander			1742			99			733			8			7			46			38
American Indian/Alaskan Native	NC	NC	4785	NC	NC	100	NC	NC	671	NC	NC	39	NC	NC	17	NC	NC	39	NC	NC	5
White	29	29	36421	97	97	99	700	700	714	13	13	12	22	22	8	61	61	54	4	4	26
Students with Disabilities	NC	NC	7690	NC	NC	100	NC	NC	593	NC	NC	64	NC	NC	14	NC	NC	21	NC	NC	2
Students without Disabilities	54	54	62220	98	98	99	688	688	712	23	23	16	20	20	11	55	55	53	2	2	20
Limited English Proficient Students			5834			100			612			46			20			31			3
Migrant Students			117			NA			677			44			18			35			3
Economically Disadvantaged	25	25	21421	81	81	92	685	685	686	27	27	35	18	18	15	55	55	43	0	0	7
Non-Economically Disadvantaged	35	35	48489	100	100	100	693	693	704	19	19	15	22	22	10	56	56	52	4	4	23

Reading	#	Teste	ed	%	Teste	ed		MSS		9	6 FFB			% A		%	6 Met		% E	xcee	ded
	S	D	ΑZ	S	D	ΑZ	S	D	ΑZ	S	D	ΑZ	S	D	ΑZ	S	D	ΑZ	S	D	ΑZ
All Students	65	65	71311	96	96	100	705	705	694	2	2	7	24	24	21	73	73	63	2	2	9
All Students (Prior Year)	48	48	68162	94	94	100	498	498	509	17	17	18	42	42	24	38	38	51	4	4	8
Female	29	29	34899	94	94	100	703	703	700	0	Ō	5	29	29	19	67	67	66	5	5	10
Male	35	35	36430	95	95	100	708	708	688	3	3	9	17	17	22	79	79	61	Ō	0	8
African American	NC	NC	3573	NC	NC	100	NC	NC	676	NC	NC	9	NC	NC	26	NC	NC	60	NC	NC	4
Hispanic	23	23	24056	92	92	100	685	685	672	0	Ō	13	56	56	31	44	44	53	Ō	0	3
Asian/Pacific Islander			1731			98			717			3			13			68			16
American Indian/Alaskan Native	NC	NC	5110	NC	NC	100	NC	NC	661	NC	NC	14	NC	NC	38	NC	NC	46	NC	NC	2
White	32	32	36841	97	97	99	716	716	713	4	4	3	8	8	12	88	88	72	Ō	0	13
Students with Disabilities	NC	NC	8021	NC	NC	100	NC	NC	590	NC	NC	27	NC	NC	42	NC	NC	29	NC	NC	1
Students without Disabilities	59	59	63379	97	97	100	705	705	707	2	2	5	24	24	18	72	72	68	2	2	10
Limited English Proficient Students			6402			100			596			25			44			30			1
Migrant Students			548			NA			659			26			36			38			0
Economically Disadvantaged	29	29	22243	81	81	93	706	706	677	0	Ō	14	25	25	32	71	71	51	4	4	3
Non-Economically Disadvantaged	36	36	49157	100	100	100	705	705	702	4	4	4	22	22	16	74	74	69	0	0	11

Writing	#	# Teste	ed	%	Teste	ed		MSS		9,	% FFB			% A		9	6 Me	t	% E	xcee	ded
Witting	S	D	ΑZ	S	D	ΑZ	S	D	ΑZ	S	D	ΑZ	S	D	ΑZ	S	D	ΑZ	S	D	ΑZ
All Students	68	68	70868	100	100	100	697	697	688	0	0	5	28	28	23	67	67	63	6	6	9
All Students (Prior Year)	48	48	67629	94	94	100	485	485	524	33	33	22	31	31	16	35	35	59	Ō	0	3
Female	31	31	34710	100	100	99	700	700	697	0	Ō	3	22	22	19	70	70	66	9	9	12
Male	36	36	36176	97	97	100	694	694	678	0	Ō	7	33	33	27	63	63	59	3	3	7
African American	NC	NC	3557	NC	NC	99	NC	NC	675	NC	NC	7	NC	NC	25	NC	NC	62	NC	NC	6
Hispanic	25	25	23868	100	100	100	681	681	670	0	Ō	9	50	50	33	50	50	55	Ō	0	4
Asian/Pacific Islander			1732			98			713			2			12			64			22
American Indian/Alaskan Native	NC	NC	5001	NC	NC	100	NC	NC	661	NC	NC	9	NC	NC	41	NC	NC	48	NC	NC	2
White	33	33	36710	100	100	99	706	706	702	0	0	2	19	19	15	73	73	69	8	8	13
Students with Disabilities	NC	NC	7900	NC	NC	100	NC	NC	580	NC	NC	22	NC	NC	49	NC	NC	28	NC	NC	1
Students without Disabilities	62	62	63054	100	100	99	697	697	701	0	0	3	27	27	20	67	67	67	6	6	10
Limited English Proficient Students			6308			100			591			19			47			33			1
Migrant Students			540			NA			658			16			42			41			1
Economically Disadvantaged	30	30	21994	83	83	92	700	700	673	0	0	10	28	28	36	60	60	52	12	12	3
Non-Economically Disadvantaged	38	38	48960	100	100	100	694	694	694	0	0	3	28	28	18	72	72	67	0	0	12

NC = Not Calculated (less than 10 students) Dashes (--) = No Data Available NA = Not Applicable S = School D = District

Recent Trends in Student Proficiency on the State Standards (AIMS Test)

10th Grade Proficiency



The graph includes the percentage of students that met or exceeded the standards. NC = Not Calculated. Under the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 (FERPA), no individually identifiable references to students may be made. Therefore, items of data containing information about fewer than ten (10) students have been replaced with NC.

ADEQUATE YEARLY PROGRESS (AYP) FOR SCHOOL YEAR 2004-05

The table below shows the schools that met or did not meet based on federal AYP requirements. To meet AYP for the year, all applicable goals must be met.

	Met Percent Tested?	Υ
	Met Test Objectives?	Υ
AYP Determination	Met Attendance Rate?	Not Evaluated
	Met Graduation Rate?	Υ
	Made AYP?	Yes

Glossary:

Adequate Yearly Progress

A measure of school performance as mandated by the federal government in the No Child Left Behind. AYP holds schools accountable for the performance of subgroups, as well as all students. AYP measures school toward the goal of having 100 percent of all students proficient in state standards for reading and math by 2013-14.

Met Percent Tested:

The school or district tested at least ninety-five percent (95%) of its students enrolled at the time of the test administration. Schools and districts must test at least 95 percent of their student in order to make AYP.

Met Test Objectives:

The percentage of students in the school or district that demonstrate proficiency in state standards by passing the AIMS test meets or exceeds the goal for that year. No Child Left Behind requires that Arizona set goals, called Annual Measurable Objectives, for the percentage of students passing AIMS for all public schools and districts in the state. The goals increase over time toward 100 percent passing by 2014. To meet the test objectives, every subgroup in the school must meet the Annual Measurable Objective.

Met Attendance Rate:

The school or district had an attendance rate of at least 90 percent over the first 100 days of the academic year. Schools and districts not serving high school students must have an attendance rate of 90 percent, or show a one-percentage-point improvement over the previous year, in order to make AYP.

Met Graduation Rate:

The school or district had a four-year graduation rate of 71 percent or greater. School or districts granting a high school diploma must have a graduation rate of 71 percent, or show a one-percentage-point improvement over the previous year, in order to make AYP.

For More Information on AYP, visit our website at www.ade.az.gov/azlearns and go to NCLB link

Achievement Test Results

Stanford 9 and TerraNova/AIMS DPA

		2002-2003 (SAT9)					2003-20	04 (SAT	9)	2004-2005 (TerraNova)					
Grade	Content Area	%	Score	D	AZ	%	Score	D	AZ	%	Score	D	ΑZ		
	Reading	92	29	29	41	53	38	NA	42	93	41	41	51		
9	Language	92	23	23	42	63	29	29	42	93	42	42	50		
	Mathematics	92	45	45	60	61	51	51	63	93	38	38	50		

Starting in Spring 2004-05, students were tested using AIMS DPA and TerraNova. AIMS DPA is a statewide assessment that is both standards-based, measuring student's knowledge against the Arizona Academic Standards, and norm-referenced, comparing student knowledge against students nationwide. TerraNova was administered to all students in grades 2 and 9. It is important to note the TerraNova/AIMS DPA and Stanford 9 test results are not comparable. For more information on the TerraNova and AIMS DPA, see our website at www.ade.az.gov/standards/

The Stanford 9 is a standardized, norm-referenced test. Since 1999, all students in grades 2 through 9 have been tested in Reading, Mathematics and Language. The percentage (%) of eligible students tested and the school's percentile ranks are listed above. State average percentile ranks for Arizona and District are provided for comparison. Note that the average percentile ranks for the nation are 50 for all content areas in all grades. Under the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 (FERPA), no individually identifiable references to students may be made. Therefore, items of data containing information about fewer than ten students have been replaced with NC (not calculated) to protect student privacy. Some columns contain dashes (- -) to indicate "no data available."

Westwind Preparatory Academy				
	School S	Site Council		
Council Composition			Council D	uties
1 School Administrator(s)		Ü Po	olicies & Procedures	
1 Non-certified Employee(s)		ü St	affing	
1 Teacher(s)			nances	
1 Parent(s)		Ü P	lanning	
5 Community Member(s)				
0 Student(s)				
	ng Information			
Position	Number	Po	sition	Number
Administrator	2.00		eacher	16.00
Other Professional Staff	1.00		eacher Aide	2.00
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Experience	Bachelor's	Master's	Doctorate	Other
3 or fewer years	2	3	0	0
4 to 6 years 7 to 9 years	2 0	4 1	0	0
10 or more years	3	1	0	0
Highl	y Qualified (NCI	LB) School Y	ear 2004-05	
Core academic classes taught by Highly Qualifi	ed (NCLB) teache	rs.	70	
Teachers with Emergency Certification.			4	
Percent of teachers in the school with Emerge	ncy/Provisional Ce	ertification	25%	
Percent of core classes not taught by Hightly C	Qualified Teachers		0%	
	Resources Avai		ool Site	
ü 8 Student Computers in Each Classroom	Specia	l Facilities Ü Multipur	noso Poom	
		Ü Field for	•	
U Two Computer Labs				
Ch. National Harray Carlata	Extracurrio	cular Activit		
Ü National Honor Society			eyball, Cheer	
Ü Student Council			ball, Softball	
Ü Technology Club			of the Mind	
Ü AIA Football, Basketball		Ü Dance		
	Socia	I Services		

 $\ddot{\textbf{U}}~$ Field trips to colleges after school

Indicators of Success Based on Historical Data from 2004-05

School Achievements/Accomplishments 2004-05

- $\ddot{\mathsf{U}}$ Double digit increases in number of students meeting or exceeding on AIMS in reading and math.
- Ü Over 90 percent of graduates went on to higher education.
- $\ddot{\mathsf{U}}$ The average SAT score for students taking it for the first time was 1135.

Student Activity Rates for School Year 2004-05

			Arizona	
	% School	% K-6/UE	% 7-8	% 9-12/US
Attendance Rate 4	96	95	94	95
Transfers Out Rates	20	12	12	17
Transfers In Rate ⁶	39	28	28	37
Stability Rate 7	79	87	87	82
Promotion Rate 8	92	96	95	81
Retention Rate 9	0	1	1	3
Dropout Rate 10	5	0	1	6
Status Unknown ¹¹	4	0	1	4
Graduation Rate 12	88	NA	NA	79

NA = Graduation rate does not apply to K-8.

K-6/UE - Kindergarten to Grade 6 including Ungraded Elementary (UE).

9-12/US - 9th grade to 12th grade including Ungraded Secondary (US).

School Safety

School-level Efforts to Ensure a Safe and Healthy Learning Environment

Closed campus. Uniforms required. Zero-tolerance policy regarding illegal substances and weapons strictly enforced. All rooms have phones. Conflict Resolution training for freshmen. Campus with limited access. Emergency plans in place and practiced.

Total number of incidents that occurred on the school grounds for school year 2004-05 that required the intervention of local, state or federal law enforcement (A.R.S.15-746.6) :

The Arizona Attorney General's Office has a hotline that allows students to report suspicious activities at schools and to get help with potentially violent situations, such as bullying, harassment, hate crimes, discrimination and gangs. The toll-free number, 1-877-900-1086, is anonymous and available 24 hours a day.

The Arizona Department of Education does not audit the information submitted by each school.

Contacts

	Name	Phone Number
School Site Council	Debra Slagle	(602) 864-7731
Transportation Policy	Karen Deadrick	(602) 864-7731
Community Resources	Karen Deadrick	(602) 864-7731
School Nutrition Programs		
Parent Organization	Karen Deadrick	(602) 864-7731
Student Health/Nurse		

Student Health/Nurse

The Arizona School Report Card was prepared by the Arizona Department of Education using a standardized format to combine information provided by the local school with data compiled from state records. Each school has special strengths and needs, and all schools benefit from the active involvement of parents in their children's education. If you have questions about the report card or need more information, contact the school office. Arizona School Report Cards can be found for all schools at www.ade.az.gov/srcs on the Internet. "The Arizona Department of Education of the State of Arizona does not discriminate on the basis of race, religion, color, national origin, sex, disability or age in its programs, activities or in its hiring and employment practices. If you have questions or grievances related to this policy, please contact the Administrative Services DAS at (602) 542-3186."

ACHIEVEMENT PROFILES

Arizona's Achievement Profiles capture the performance level of every school.

DEFINITIONS:

Failing to Meet the Academic Standards - needs to meet state performance and state progress goals.

School performance has been designated as Underperforming for three consecutive years and a site review determined that the designation of Failing to Meet the Academic Standards was warranted.

Underperforming - needs to meet state performance and state progress goals.

Performing - meets state performance goals.

Performing Plus - above state performance goals, however the number of students exceeding the standard on the AIMS test is not sufficient to earn a highly performing or excelling label.

Highly Performing - above state performance goals or has demonstrated adequate improvement, in addition a significant number of students have exceeded the standard on the AIMS test.

Excelling - significantly above state performance goals, in addition a significant number of students have exceeded the standard on the AIMS test.

TITLE I TERMS

Title I School Improvement Year 1

A Title I school that has not made adequate yearly progress (AYP) for two consecutive years. Upon identification, the school must: notify parents/legal guardians of the school status; develop and implement a School Improvement Plan within 90 days of the identification; set aside 10% of the schools Title I funds for professional development for teachers and the principal; the district must offer parents the option of transfer and support to the school in its school improvement efforts.

Title I School Improvement Year 2

A Title I school that has not made adequate yearly progress (AYP) for three consecutive years. Upon identification, the school must: notify parents/legal guardians of the school status; develop and implement a School Improvement Plan within 90 days of the identification; set aside 10% of the schools Title I funds for professional development for teachers and the principal; the district must offer parents the option of transfer and offer supplemental educational services to eligible students, and offer support to the school in its school improvement efforts.

Title I School Improvement Year 3 or Corrective Action

A Title I school that has not made adequate yearly progress (AYP) for four consecutive years. Upon identification, the school must: notify parents/legal guardians of the school status; develop and implement a School Improvement Plan within 90 days of the identification; set aside 10% of the schools Title I funds for professional development for teachers and the principal; the district must offer parents the option of transfer and offer supplemental educational services to eligible students, and offer support to the school in its school improvement efforts. In addition, the school must choose and implement at least one of six corrective actions. See Section 1116(b)(7) of NCLB for a list of the corrective action options.

Title I School Improvement Year 4 or Restructuring (Planning Phase)

A Title I school that has not made adequate yearly progress (AYP) for five consecutive years. Upon identification, the school must: notify parents/legal guardians of the school status; develop and implement a School Improvement Plan within 90 days of the identification; set aside 10% of the schools Title I funds for professional development for teachers and the principal; the district must offer parents the option of transfer and offer supplemental educational services to eligible students, and offer support to the school in its school improvement efforts. In addition, the school must prepare a restructuring plan and make necessary arrangements to carry out one of three restructuring activities. See Section 1116(b)(8) of NCLB for a list of the restructuring activities.

Title I School Improvement Year 5 or Restructuring (Implementation Phase)

A Title I school that has not made adequate yearly progress (AYP) for six consecutive years. Upon identification, the school must: notify parents/legal guardians of the school status; develop and implement a School Improvement Plan within 90 days of the identification; set aside 10% of the schools Title I funds for professional development for teachers and the principal; the district must offer parents the option of transfer and offer supplemental educational services to eligible students, and offer support to the school in its school improvement efforts. In addition, the school must prepare a restructuring plan and make necessary arrangements to carry out one of three restructuring activities. See Section 1116(b)(8) of NCLB for a list of the restructuring activities.

Footnotes

- 1 For an explanation of the Achievement Profiles, please visit our website at www.ade.az.gov/azlearns.
- 2 Under ARS 15-816, school district governing boards must implement open enrollment programs and establish policies covering admission criteria, application procedures and transportation provisions. For more information, contact the school district office.
- 3 Arizona's Instrument to Measure Standards (AIMS) includes the reading, writing and mathematics subject areas. The proficiency levels include: Falls Far Below (FFB) the standard, Approaches (A) the standard, Meets or Met (M) the standard and Exceeds (E) the standard. MSS = Mean Scaled Score. The federal law, No Child Left Behind, requires disaggregation in subgroups and ethnicity. NC= Not Calculated. Under the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 (FERPA), no individually identifiable references to students may be made. Therefore, items of data containing information about fewer than ten (10) students have been replaced with NC. For more information on testing and Arizona Academic Standards go to http://www.ade.az.gov/AIMS/default.asp
- 4 Attendance Rate: Percentage of students attending the first 100 days of the academic year.
- 5 Transfers Out: the rate at which students transfer out of a particular school relative to the school's original enrollment for a given school year.
- 6 Transfers In: the rate at which students transfer into a particular school relative to the school's original enrollment for a given school year.
- 7 Stability (s): the rate at which students starting the year at a particular school remain enrolled in that particular school until the end of a given school year.
- 8 Promotion Rate: Percentage of students promoted to the next grade or who met graduation requirements and received a traditional diploma at the end of the 2004-05 school year. Percentage includes students who left school at age 22 or who had completed school and received a non-traditional diploma.
- 9 Retention Rate: Percentage of students retained at the end of the 2004-05 school year.
- 10 Dropout Rate: Percentage of students counted as withdrawn due to chronic illness, expulsion or dropping out during the 2004-05 school year, to include activity during the summer of 2004. This rate includes students who were withdrawn after 10 consecutive days of unexcused absences or were coded by the school as "status unknown." The Promotion Rate, Retention Rate and Dropout Rate may not add to 100% due to the inclusion of summer activity in the Dropout Rate but not in the Promotion Rate and Retention Rate. For more information on the dropout rate study see our website at http://www.ade.az.gov/researchpolicy/DropoutInfo/
- 11 Annual Status Unknown: Percentage of students unaccounted for by any method during the 2004-05 school year. Annual status unknown students are not necessarily dropouts. For more information on status unknown, see our dropout rate study website at http://www.ade.az.gov/researchpolicy/DropoutInfo/
- 12 Graduation Rate: The graduation rate presented here is a 5 year cohort rate for the class of 2004. For more information on the Graduation Rate Study published by the ADE, please see our website at www.ade.az.gov/researchpolicy/grad.

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